



**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.114
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 1630**

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Tony N. Frudakis et al.
Application No. : 09/924,400
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For : COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR THE THERAPY AND
DIAGNOSIS OF BREAST CANCER

Examiner : Mary K. Zeman
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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Commissioner for Patents:

This communication is in response to the Advisory Action dated July 28, 2006. Enclosed is a Request for Continued Examination in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. Applicants filed a Notice of Appeal on June 28, 2006. Please extend the period of time for response two months, to expire on October 28, 2006. Applicants herewith submit payment of the requisite fee for a two-month extension of time, as well as the requisite fee for the above-referenced Request for Continued Examination.

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.